

SCOTTS BLUFF NATIONAL MONUMENT

PUBLIC USE COUNTING AND REPORTING INSTRUCTIONS

Following are detailed instructions for collecting and reporting data to be entered on Form 10-157, Revised, Monthly Public Use Report by Scotts Bluff National Monument. These instructions are effective the date of issuance and will continue in effect unless changed by amendment or by memorandum from the Socio-Economic Studies Division to the superintendent approving a requested change.

Each item below describes the procedures to be followed in collecting public use data and summarizing the various elements of those data for entry on the corresponding line on the 10-157, Monthly Public Use Report.

Recreation Visits

A. An inductive loop traffic counter is located at the entrance to the Visitor Center parking area off of State Highway 92. The traffic count is reduced for nonreportable vehicles (actual count) and buses. The reduced traffic count is multiplied by a Persons-Per-Vehicle multiplier of 3.3.

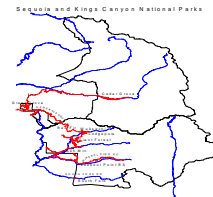
B. The number of bus visitors.

Recreation Visitor Hours

The total recreation visits are multiplied by a Length-of-Stay multiplier of 1.9 hours.

Special Use Data

- Line a. Vehicles on Summit Road.
- Line b. Visitor Center Visitors
- Line c. Slide show patrons
- Line d. Roving contacts made
- Line e. Number of persons at museum talks
- Line f. Tour buses
- Line g. School buses.
- Line n. Total number of buses.



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